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**BOWLING GREEN DRUG TRAFFICKER PLEADS GUILTY
TO BEING AN ARMED CAREER CRIMINAL**

David L. Huber, United States Attorney for the Western District of Kentucky, announced today that **LARRY EMBRY**, age 62, 1017 Plum Springs Road, Bowling Green, Kentucky, **plead guilty** on July 6, 2005, to being an Armed Career Criminal in possession of 660 rounds of ammunition.

The charges carry maximum penalties of life in prison, a fine of \$250,000 and a period of supervised release of 3 years. The mandatory minimum sentence in this case is 15 years in prison. **There is no parole in the federal judicial system.**

Embry was convicted previously of trafficking in a controlled substance in the first degree (3 counts) in Warren Circuit Court for drug trafficking crimes occurring on three separate occasions, and he was placed on probation. On April 1, 2005, Warren County Probation and Parole, accompanied by Bowling Green Drug Task Force Officers and Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives (ATF) Agents, conducted a search of **Embry's** residence located at 1017 Plum Springs Road in Bowling Green, and they found **Embry** in possession of

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660 rounds of various types of ammunition in his home and in his truck. Two shotguns were also found on **Embry's** property.

Embry is scheduled to be sentenced on October 4, 2005 at 11:30 a.m. (C.D.T.) in Bowling Green, Kentucky by the Honorable Thomas B. Russell.

The case was prosecuted by Assistant United States Attorney Brian Butler, and it was investigated by Warren County Probation and Parole, the Bowling Green Drug Task Force and the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives (ATF).

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